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Applicant : David E. Edgren et al.
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Docket No. : ARC 2813 D1 N1
Customer No. : 30766
Title : Method of fabricating a banded prolonged release active agent dosage form

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 22, 2005, kindly amend the application identified above as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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